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Rules regulating the new Postal Savings Bank to be opened here October 16

As was stated in the EXPOSITOR last week, the Sonoma Post Office has been destinated as a postal savings office, and on Monday, October 16, 1911, deposits will be received. For the information of those that are interested we publish the following information, furnished by the Postal Department for depositors:

1 The postal savings system is established for the purpose of providing facilities for depositing savings at interest with the security of the United States Government for repayment.

2. The faith of the United States is solemnly pledged to the payment of depository offices with accrued interest as provided by the postal savings act.

3 Accounts may be opened and deposits made by any person of the age of 10 years or over in his or her own name and by a married woman in her own name and free from any interference or control by her husband. No person can have more than one account at any one time.

4 No person may open a postal savings account at any post office who is not a patron of that office.

5. All accounts must be opened in person by the depositor or his authorized representative. After opening an account a depositor may forward subsequent deposits to the post office by mail.

6. Deposits will be accepted only from individuals, and no account will be opened in the name of any corporation, association, society, firm or partnership, or in names of two or more persons jointly.

7. No account will be opened in the name of one person in trust for or on behalf of another person or persons.

8. The service of the Postal Saving System is free, and no charge or fee is collected or required in connection with the opening of an account or withdrawal of money deposited.

9. No person connected with the Post Office Department or the postal service is permitted to disclosed the name of any depositor or give any information concerning an account except to the depositor himself, unless directed to do so by the Postmaster General.

10. When a person applies to open an account he must furnish the necessary information for the postmaster or his representative to fill out an application, which he will then be required to sign. If the applicant signs by mark his signature must be witnessed by a disinterested person.

11 Deposits are evidenced by postal-savings certificates issued in fixed denominations of $1, $2, $5, $10, $20, $50 and $100, each bearing the name of the depositor, the number of his account, the date of issue, the name of the depository office, and the date on which interest begins. The postmaster or his representative will make out a duplicate of each certificate issued, which the depositor will be required to sign and which the postmaster will retain in his records.

12. No account may be opened for less than $1, nor will fractions of a dollar be accepted for deposit.

13. No person is permitted to deposit more than $100 in any one calendar month nor to have a total balance to his credit at one time of more than $500 exclusive of accumulated interest.

14. Savings certificates can not be transferred or negotiated and will be payable only to the person to whom issued.

15. On opening an account a depositor is supplied with an envelope in which he may keep his savings certificates. On this envelope is printed information for his guidance and also a blank ledger record on which to keep an account of his deposits and with drawals,

16. In case a savings certificate is lost or destroyed the depositor should notify the postmaster. If deemed proper, a new certificate will be issued upon compliance by the depositor with the necessary requirements.

17. Postmasters are not permitted to receive savings certificates for safe keeping.

18. Amounts less than $1 may be saved for deposit by the purchase of 10 cent postal savings cards and adhesive 10-cent postal savings stamps. Each postal savings card contains blank spaces to which savings stamps may be affixed from time to time as purchased, and a postal savings card with nine 10 cent stamps thus affixed will be accepted for deposit of $1, either in opening a account or in adding to an existing account.

19 Savings cards and stamps will be redeemed only by the issue of savings certificates and are not valid for postage. They will not be received in exchange for postage stamps nor will postage stamps be accepted in exchange for postal savings cards or stamps.

20. Interest will be allowed on all deposits at the rate of 2 per cent per annum, computed on each savings certificate separately, and payable annually. No interest will be paid on money which remains on deposit for a fraction of a year only.

21. Deposits will bear interest from the 1st day of the month next following that in which deposited.

22. Interest will continue to accrue on a savings certificate as long as it remains outstanding, certificates being valid until paid, without limitation as to time.

23. Compound interest is not allowed on an outstanding certificate, but a depositor may withdraw interest payable and include it in a new deposit, which will bear interest at the regular rate.

A depositor may at any time withdraw the whole or any part of his deposits to his credit with any interest payable by surrendering savings certificates, properly indorsed for the amount desired.

25. A depositor presenting a certificate for payment in full with all interest payable must indorse it on the back in the presence of the postmaster or his representative and surrender it. The postmaster or his representative, if satisfied as to the depositor's identity, will then make payment.

26 When a depositor desires only a part of the amount called for by any certificate the postmaster will cancel the certificate and issue a new certificate covering the amount to be left on deposit. The new certificate will be so dated that the depositor will not lose interest on the amount remaining continuously on deposit.

27. When a depositor desires to withdraw merely the interest payable on any certificate, instead of indorsing and surrendering the certificate as in case of full payment, he will be required to give his receipt in duplicate for the amount of interest paid. The postmaster will enter the interest payment on the back of the certificate and return to the depositor.

28. When a person who has opened an account cannot appear personally to make an additional deposit, because of infirmity or for other good and sufficient reason, the amount to be deposited may be sent by a representative or forwarded by mail. On receipt of the amount the postmaster will send to the depositor the duplicate of each savings certificate to be issued. When the duplicate or duplicates thus delivered have been signed by the depositor and returned to the money office the postmaster will cancel the original certificates covering the amount of the deposit. New accounts cannot be opened by mail. When an intending purchaser desiring to open an account is unable to appear in person he may forward the money by a representative, who will be provided with an application form, which must be properly filled out by the intending depositor and returned with the duplicate certificate or certificates.

29 When under similar circumstances a depositor cannot appear in person to make a withdrawal, a blank order will be furnished for his use by request of his representative When such order has been properly filled in and signed by the depositor, with his signature witnessed by a disinterested person, and has been returned to the postmaster, together with each certificate to be paid properly indorsed, payment will be made to the depositor's representative.

30. When a depositor who is unable to appear in person desires to withdraw merely the interest payable on any certificate, the blank order furnished will include receipts for the interest to be paid, upon return of which, properly signed by the depositor, the postmaster will make payment to his representative.

31. In case of the death of a depositor the amount standing to his credit will be paid to his administrator or executor of his estate upon compliance with the necessary requirements. In case no formal administration is desired by his relatives, the postmaster may, if it is deemed proper, be authorized to pay the amount of the deposit, on application in proper form, to the persons entitled to receive it, without the appointment of an administrator.

32. A woman who opens an account and afterwards marries must present her savings certificate at her office in order that the certificate may be indorsed as payable to her in her new name. The postmaster will receive no further deposits from a depositor failing to comply with this requirement, nor will he make any partial or interest payment to her.

33. A depositor will be permitted to exchange the whole or any part of his deposits in sums of $20, $40, $60, $80, $100 or multiples of $100 up to and including $500, into United States registered or coupon bonds bearing interest at the rate of two and one half per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, and redeemable at the pleasure of the United States after one year from date of issue, both principal and interest payable 20 years from such date in United States gold coin. Such exchanges may be made under date of January 1 and July 1 of each year, provided such bonds are then available.

34 A depositor desiring to convert his savings deposits into bonds on January 1 and July 1 of any year must make application at least 15 days before either of the dates named to the postmaster in triplicate on a form which will be supplied him for that purpose At the time of making application he must indorse and surrender savings certificates covering the amount of the bonds desired, for which the postmaster will give him a receipt. Interest will continue to accrue on certificates surrendered until the date on which the bonds are issued. When the bonds applied for are received by the postmaster, the depositor will be notified and the bonds will be delivered by the postmaster on presentation of the receipt for the certificates surrendered. At the same time all interest due on the certificates surrendered will be paid.

35. Saving deposits converted into bonds are not counted as a part of the maximum of $500 allowed one depositor, and there is no limitation upon the amount of available postal savings bonds which may finally be acquired by a depositor.

36 Postal savings bonds are exempt from all taxes or duties of the United States, as well as from taxation in any form by or under state, municipal, or local authority.

37. Postal savings bonds can only be procured by the conversion of postal savings deposits, and will not be issued to persons who are not depositors, but whether in registered or coupon form they may, upon receipt by the depositor, be sold and assigned at any time to any person desired.

Rummage Sale

Today and Saturday afternoons a Rummage Sale will be held by the ladies of Trinity Episcopal Church, in the building on First St. East, formerly occupied by the Fussel fruit store. All friends are requested to donate articles for the sale, and the public to come and buy.

Benefit for Johnson

On Saturday evening, October 7, the Sonoma Valley Band will give a grand benefit ball at Parente's Pavilion in Verano. A large crowd is expected from San Francisco and the surrounding cities. Tickets are now on sale at 50 cents each. Buy liberally and boost a good cause.

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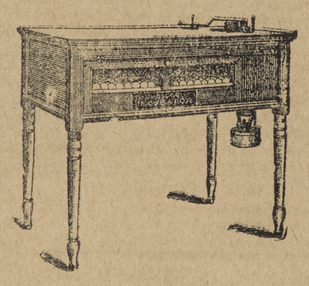

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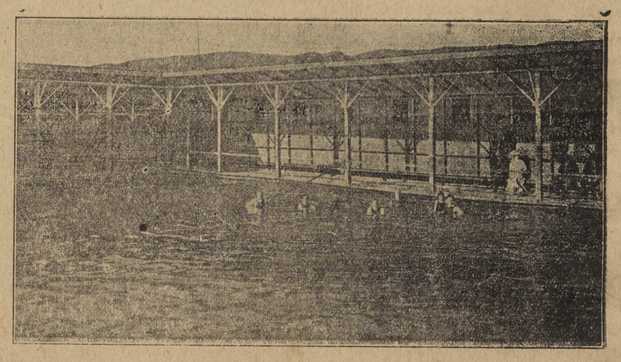
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The President of the political club formed by the 500 native born Chinese in California, states that the members will vote solid against granting citizenship to American women, as they do not believe in their uplift or education.

Tuesday is the day you can show your authority by stamping an X on your ballot, but in marking the same be careful that you understand the amendment. Much damage can be done by voting "no" just because you do not understand a measure. If you vote "yes" on all the amendments except No. 3—a split session of the Legislature—you will be voting for the best interests of the people and giving them the power long sought. The amendments as a whole are in line with the progressive movement that gave Governor Johnson such a sweeping majority. Vote early and often used to be the watch word, but now the slogan is "vote once and right." Your vote on Tuesday is needed just as much as it is when candidates are in the field.

The bone of contention regarding the amendments to be voted on Tuesday in Sonoma appears to be the amendment on woman suffrage, and it is laughable. Only Wednesday evening our city trustees had to turn a little matter of the hauling of a few loads of dirt over to the Woman's Club owing to a lack of funds. This is only one incident of many, and all must admit that the women have made more civic improvements for the City of Sonoma than all the combined efforts of every elected officer in the past 20 years. This proves beyond question that the women of our fair city have more brains and are better qualified to manage municipal affairs than the men. And despite this fact the election returns in this precinct will show that woman suffrage has been defeated by about 15 votes. Why? Partly, perhaps, by Sonoma's attitude, as past election returns will show, that it don't want what the rest of the state elects, and partly because our lords and masters want to reign supreme and don't want their intelligent wives, mothers, sisters and daughters to have a chance to show their abilities, knowing well that the women have greater perception and are better qualified to vote than the men. At the very least the women, if they cast all the votes could not make more of a muddle out of politics than we men have. Regardless of Sonoma's attitude, however, the amendment will be carried by a sweeping majority.

Constitutional Amendements

A short synopsis of the Constitutional Amendments will give the voter an insight into the same in a boiled down sense:

No. 1. Weights and Measures. This provides for standardizing and inspection and creates an Inspector to see that the laws are obeyed in this regard.

No. 2. County Charters. If adopted will give counties the right to frame charters the same as cities.

No. 3. Under this amendment all bills would have to be introduced in the first 30 days of a regular session of the Legislature, after which the Legislature would adjourn for 30 days, to reassemble and stay in session as long as desired. No bills could be introduced after the recess without a three-fourths consent of the members. This amendment will probably meet defeat as it does not sound plausable.

No. 4. Woman's Suffrage Needs no comment other than it will give women the long sought right to vote. The women will win with a sweeping majority.

No. 5. Logging Railroads Public Carriers. All logging railroads that employ the right of eminent domain to obtain their rights of way would be made common carriers at reasonable rates for any shippers who would offer goods for transportation Vote for it.

6 Changes Charter Powers. Changes and amplifies powers of municipalities under charters. A good amendment.

No. 7. Initiative and Referendum. This is one of the amendments vital to self government. By the initiative the people on a petition of 8 per cent of the voters may propose laws or constitutional amendments to be voted on directly by the people or by five per cent petition may submit laws to the Legislature which must pass them without change or reject them within 40 days. If not passed they must be submitted to the people at the next general or special election. By the referendum the people on a petition of 5 per cent of the voters may pass upon the law that has been adopted by the Legislature. An alternative measure may be submitted by the Legislature. This amendment will pass. Vote for it.

No. 8. The Recall. This amendment is foremost in civic importance. By its operation any elected public officer may be recalled from office by a majority vote of the people. Judges are subject to its provisions. Vote yes on this amendment.

No. 9. Quashes Technecalities No verdict in a criminal case can be overturned on a technecality by the higher courts if this amendment is passed. Be sure and vote for this amendment.

No. 10. Compensation to workmen for injuries received in their employment, regardless of the fault of either party, may be provided by an act of the Legislature under this amendment. This gives the working man a chance when working in dangerous places as is always required by large corporations. Vote for it.

No. 12. Railroad Rate Fixing. This gives the Railroad Commission power to fix rates, determine and inforce service, supervise capitalization, and otherwise regulate corporations that supply electricity, gas, telephone, street car or railroad service. See Amendment No. 16 and 23.

No. 13. Enlarges Charter Powers. This gives municipalities more power over their offices and officers, now restricted in some particulars by the constitution. Any law that gives the people more power and the demigogue less should be voted for.

No. 14, This gives the municipalities more power to establish and operate public utilities. Cities may go into the business of supplying water, light, heat, power, telephone or transportation service to their inhabitants. They need not purchase or offer to purchase existing utilities. A good amendment.

15. School Text Books. This, if passed, will prevent the frequent changes of public text books by the provision that any text book adopted and sold to pupils shall be retained for four years "without any change or alteration whatever which will require or necessitate the purchase of new books by such pupils." Another good amendment.

No. 16. Strengthens R. R. Commission. By this amendment the Railroad Commission would be a powerful body for the control of common carriers. It would be enarged to five members, of whom three should be the present commissioners. The commission would be given the power absolutely to fix the rates of transportation. It would have power to examine books, ad just complaints, administer oaths, punish for contempt and establish a uniform system of railroad accounting. This is a very important measure and should carry.

No. 18. Election Laws. Cities may prescribe that a larger number than a plurality of votes shall be required to elect.

No. 19. By this measure the Legislature may abolish the justices or peace and establish inferior courts.

No. 19. This amendment would permit transportation companies to grant free passes not only to Railroad Commissioners as at the present, but to employees of the commission and to peace officers. The objection has been at made to it th the railroad companies are not obliged to grant passes to peace officers, but may do so if they wish to put peace officers under obligations to them. The opponents of this measure see in it a danger of the special favor system.

No. 20 Appoint Clerks. To reduce the size of the state ballot. The clerk of the Supreme Court by this amendment is removed from the list of elected officers and made appointive by the Supreme Court.

No. 21. This amendment is merely to apply the power of impeachment by the Legislature to the Justices of the Appellate Court as well as to the Supreme Justices and other state officials.

No. 22. Exempt's Veteran's Property. Men who have served in the army, navy, marine corps or revenue marine system of the United States in the time of war and have been honorably discharged may have $1,000 worth of property exempt from taxation if they possess less than $5000, or his widow or a widowed mother may claim such exemption. This is a fine amendment and should carry.

No. 23. Railroad Commission's Powers. With Nos. 12 and 16 this amendment makes a trio of important railroad measures. Under it no railroad company could raise interstate rates without first having obtained the consent of the railroad commissions after a hearing. The Commission's decision would not be subject to revision unless on contention or confiscation. This law is modeled on the Interstate Commerce regulations. Discrimination is prohibited and no greater charge for a short haul than for a long haul can be made except with the expressed concent of the Commission. Vote for it.

Superior Court News

Judge Denny's Court.

The pending divorce suit of Weiling vs Weiling was dismissed.

The demurrer in the suit of Reilly vs Reilly was withdrawn.

The order to show cause in the suit of Sousa vs Sousa, long pending, was dropped from the calendar.

The suit of Hopkins vs White was submitted.

The suits of Walker vs Walker, Francisco vs Levin Tanning Co., Oakes vs Petaluma Realty Co., Sevs Sewell, Hall vs Morris, were continued until October 9, and Cooper vs. Addison to October 10; Porterfield vs Shaw to October 28.

A sale of personal property of the estate of Benjamin Tilton was granted.

The matter of the estate of Mabel C. Ross went over to October 9.

A sale of realty of the estate of Caroline A. Striening was confirmed.

Amy McCausland was named administrator on the estates of G. W. and C. B. Hendley in bond of $250 in each estate.

The family allowance petitioned for in the estate of Harry Stover was settled and allowed.

The estates of George R. Douglas and A. J. Lancaster were turned over to October 30 and 9.

A sale of real estate was asked for and granted in the estate of Arthur Alto.

Harold B. Rosenberg was named administrator on the estate of Julien F. Rosenberg in a bond of $13,000.

The petition to set aside a homestead in the estate of Wolt Rosenberg. was granted.

Robert Caughey was named administrator on the estate of Alex Caughey in a bond of $1000.

A sale of realty of the estate of Ruth Skinner was granted.

Judge Seawell's court.

Judgement in full was given plaintiff in the suit of the Petaluma Rock Company vs Ingerson.

The demurrer was overruled in the suit of Young Lup vs Charles Patchett and 10 days allowed to answer.

Judgement for the plaintiff in the sum of $50, each party to pay his own costs, was granted in the suit of Weber vs. Bremle.

The suit of G. Polloni vs C. T. Ryland, et. al., was dropped from the calendar to be restored on motion.

The costs in the suit of Loomis vs Connecticut Fre insurance Co. were taxed at $210.25. The matter was set for hearing on November 14.

The suit of LeCam vs LeCam was set for October 5, and the suit of Shieffer vs Noble Jones Co. was continued to October 6.

The suit of Ida C. Smith vs James R. Smith was dropped from the calendar.

The retrial of the suit of Gray vs Bush was set for November 21.

The petition in the suit of Peter Torliatt vs Adrienne Torliat was dismissed.

The suit of Fancher vs Stewart was set for December 5.

The motion for a new trial in the suit of Bachelor vs Elphick will be heard on October 10 and Jndge A. J. Buckles, who tried the suit, has been invited to hear the motion.

The trial of the suit of Peterson vs Nathan will be resumed Friday.

The hearing of the suit of the suit of the Golden Eagle Milling Co. vs Hallock, has been set for October 19.

The suit of Hinshaw vs White went over to October 12.

City Trustees' Meeting

Wednesday evening the city council met in regular session. All members present. Minutes of previous meetings were read and approved. The following bills were presented and ordered paid:

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Clear Lake Tele	ne Co.	1 70
Sonoma Valley C	.....	56 15
A. J. Miller	.....	10 00
L. H. Green	.....	20 15
H W Gottenbu	rg, salary..	51 00
W. Rambo	.....	3 25
R. Piatt, clerical	work....	12 00
H. Castagnasso,	sprinkling	104 70
L. Nessi	.....	3 00
R. Quartaroli	.....	47 00
F. Duhring,	supplies....	7 15
J. Marcy	.....	2 00
J. Fochetti &	Co.....	10 25
R. A. Poppe	.....	25 00
J. H. Albertson,	salary.....	15 00
J. A. Kinsella,	.....	58 24
J. D. Wagnon	.....	3 00
L. D. Emparan,	water....	15 00
J F. O'Brien	sewer	148 50
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F. E. Cherry	salary sewer	$ 125 00
Devon Pottery Co	.....	8 00
City Hall bonds	and interest	20,00

Robert Poppe offered to the city material from the ruins of the Poppe buildings, that were burned in the recent fire, for street purposes, free of charge if removed right away. Mr. Poppe said that the material had been pronounced as excellent for street purposes. The offer was accepted by the council and bids for the hauling will be asked for.

A communication from Mr. Guyot was read asking for the privelege of riding his bicycle, on the sidewalks, when carrying the rural mail, until such time the streets were repaired. The council placed the communication on file, as the city attorney advised them that they could not grant such priveleges with out passing an ordinance to that effect.

A communication asking that an ordinance be passed prohiting owners of pool and billiard rooms from allowing boys under the age 18 to patronize or frequent their premises Ordered placed on file.

A communication from the Sonoma Valley Woman's Club presenting the new drinking fountain recently erected in plaza by the club, to the city was read. On motion, the city council accepted the fountain in behalf of the city, and extended to the Woman's Club a vote of thanks.

City Attorney Robert A. Poppe was granted permission to use one of the rooms in the city hall as an office until such time as he could have an office building erected on the site of his former office.

A communication from the State League of Municipalities inviting Sonoma to send a delegate to the annual convention to be held at Santa Barbara October 23rd to 28th, was read, and on motion Trustee John D. Wagnon appointed as such delegate Mayor Cummings said that he intended to take a vacation about that time and would also try and attend the convention for a couple of days.

Contractor Matthews sent a word to the trustees that he would load the soil, removed in excavating for the foundation of the septic tank, on wagons providing the city desired the material for the plaza. There being no funds available, it was decided that the city could not avail itself of the offer, unless the Woman's Club could assist. On motion it was referred to the Sonoma Valley Woman's Club.

It was ordered that the sewer be extended on Spain street from First street east to Second street East.

The City Engineer's report showed that the total amount of work done by Contractor O'Brien on the sewer up to date to be 8207.9 yards of earth work; 21988 feet of pipe laid; 14 man holes built; and 154 cubit feet of concrete work.

The City Marshal report for September showed that he collected 45 merchant licenses, amounting to $116 21 saloon licenses, amounting to $630; 3 peddler's licenses, $6; and 2 shows, $20. Total $775 50.

The city recorder reported that four cases of misdemeanor came up before him. Three were found guilty and fined, the other dismissed. Amount of fines collected was $20.

No other business appearing the council adjourned.

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Leave Sonoma	DAILY	Arrive Sonoma
6:48 a m	San Francisco	9:44 a m
3:36 p m	San Rafael and Intermediates	6:59 p m
9:44 a m	Glen Ellen and intermediates	6:48 a m
6:48 a m	Novato, Petaluma, Santa Rosa & intermediates	9:44 a m
3:36 p m		6:59 p m
6:48 a m	Cloverdale Healdsburg, Lyton and	9:44 a m
3:36 p m	intermediates	6:59 p m
6:48 a m	Ukiah and	9:44 a m
3:36 p m	intermediates	6:59 p m
6:48 a m	Willits, Sherwood	6:59 pm
6:48 a m	Sebastopol and	9:44 a m
3:36 p m	intermediates	6:59 p m
6:48 a m	Guerneville and	9:44 a m
3:36 p m	intermediates	6:59 pm

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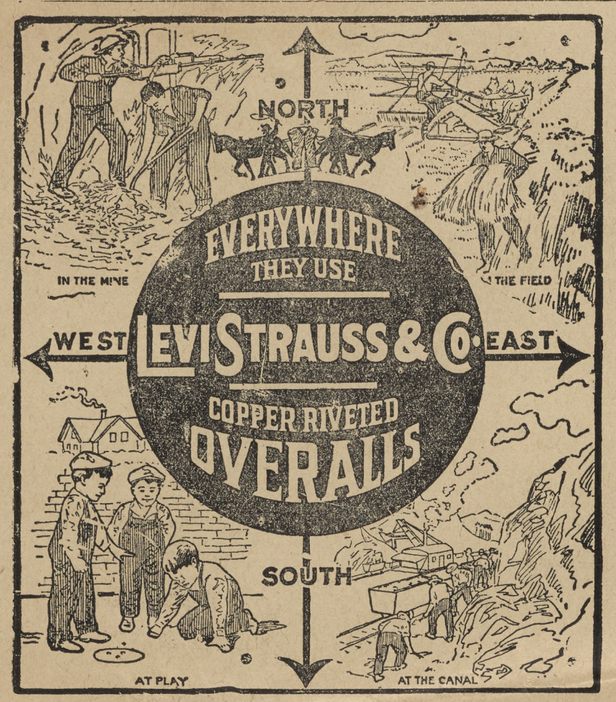

LOCAL ITEMS

Duck and quail season opens on the 15th.

Jim Modeni spent a couple of days this week in San Francisco.

Give the woman of your town the right to vote if they want to do so.

F. H. Cherry and family have moved into the Jas. Wimms place on Broadway.

Try our coffee's. All prices—25, 30, 35 and 40 cents. Bordson & Nordstrom.

See Parrent for good clothes, the Ladies and Gents' tailor, 427, Napa St., Sonoma. 1 tf.

Al Warner went to the metroplis this week, and attended the concert given by Sousi's band.

Rev. W. C. Day former pastor of the Congregational church of this place spent last Friday in Sonoma.

Our fall millinery has arrived. Old hats retrimmed. Bordson & Nordstrom.

The benefit ball for L. L. Johnson will be given at Parente's Pavilion October 7th. Tickets are now on sale.

On Sunday last Mayor M. E. Cummings entertained four Santa Rosa friends at a dinner in the Union Hotel.

Charlie Pohley and Vera Pohley left Tuesday afternoon for Seatle, where they will make an extended visit with their father.

F. A. Schell, proprietor of the Schelville Hatchery has just enlarged his incubator house to twice its former size. It now covers a space 25x100 and can accommodate 50 large incubators. Fred is preparing for a busy season.

Two gold medal were awarded to Samuel Daken at San Jose Pur and Industrial Exposition, where he had an exhibit of his oil paintings. One medal was for the best general display and the other was for his masterpiece "Russian River Heights."

Don't forget the basket ball game tonight—Cadets vs. High School. The cadets are now ready to meet any 15 year old team of surrounding towns. Their line up is as follows: Forwards, Caneveri and Fisk; Center, Poulson; Guards, Dresel, Anselmi and Castegnasso. For information address A. M. Fisk, Sonoma.

Grape picking has commenced in earnest this week in Sonoma valley, although some of the vineyards had began to harvest their crop as early as two weeks ago. The sugar test in some of the vineyards is reported to be slightly lower than former years and the crop is reported to be lighter than usual. Prices range this week from $15 to $25 per ton.

On Sunday afternoon a number of Socialists of Sonoma met at the home of J. A. Solmonson and organized a socialist local with fifteen charter members. County Organizer L. A. Hall, of Petaluma, was present and helped the cause along. The next regular meeting will be held Sunday, October 15th at 2 p. m. for the purpose of perfecting the order.

The ladies of St. Barbara's Guild were delightfully entertained last Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Robert Hall. The Guild is growing in numbers, and the members are busily working for the purchase of a lot and the building of a fine new church. A grand entertainment is being planned for Friday, Novembr 22nd.

We learn that Robert A. Poppe is having plans drawn for a new building to be erected on the site where the Poppe store stood for so many years. The building is to be of brick and have a tile roof, and will be an ornament to the east side of the plaza.

A petition was filed this week by John B. Skinner for letters of administration upon the estate of Robert Skinner, in the Superior court of this county. The value of the estate was placed at $2,400. Robert A. Poppe is attorney for the estate.

W. F. Clewe, representing Rosenberg Bros. & Co., of San Francisco, will buy your dried fruit, no matter how large the quartity. See him. 2 t

A special meeting of the Loyal Order of Moose will be held in Castegnasso Hall on next Tuesday evening. Business of importance.

H. J. Nelson will begin the erection of a home on the tract purchased by him of A. W. Lehrke on the Rixford ranch this week.

Attorney R. A. Poppe will move his office to the City Hall on the 18th of next month

Notice—We wish to announce that we have discontinued handling feed. F. Clewe. tf.

Ben Bordson was a metropolis visitor Wednesday.

Work on the Pinella building is progressing rapidly.

Tomatoes for sale. Inquire of G. Ritz, Buena Vista. 35 tf.

Frank Bocca

At the family home east of Glen Ellen on Sunday morning occurred the death of Frank Bocca, a native of Italy, aged 67 years.

He was a brother of Joe Bocca and father of John Bocca.

Funeral services were held from St. Francis' church and interment in Mountain cemetery on Tuesday morning.

Denials in Answer

The O'Briens have filed a vigorous answer to the complaint in the suit of the Sonoma Valley Water, Light & Power Company.

In their answer they contend that the plaintiff has no right to the water over which the controversy has arisen. They deny that they have diverted the water as complained of; deny the location of the water sources as set forth; deny that the plaintiff has the rights it claims and practically everything contained in the complaint.

Mrs. Rose M. Lane

At her summer home in Glen Ellen on last Sunday evening occurred the death of Mrs. Rose M Lane, mother of Charles Lane and Mrs. Harry Cravens and Mrs. G. A. Brown, and also a sister of Dr. C. C. O'Donnell.

Mrs. Lane was well known in this valley and leaves a score of friends and relatives to mourn their loss.

Funeral services were held Wednesday from St. Mary's church and the remains were laid to rest in Mountain Cemetery.

The Strike Situation

The strike situation seems to be in about the same condition as it was in the beginning.

The railroad officials claim that the unions are weakening and many are returning to work, while the union leaders claim that all members are standing pat.

In the east, along the Illinois Central lines, and in Texas there has been considerable rioting. At McComb, Ill., the railroad officials imported a trainload of strikebreakers, who were finally nearly scared to death and removed to New Orleans. The car shops at tho same place were dynamited.

In the western states and along the Pacific coast the strikers are quiet and orderly and no serious damage done. The Southern Pacific has declared open shops and state no strikers will be given employment.

Will Make Another Trial

Determined to be the first aviator to cross the continent, Robert G Fowler, the San Francisco boy who all but conquered the Sierras, will make a new start from Los Angeles the 10th of this month. He left Emigrant Gap Tuesday, and went to Los Angeles to prepare for the transcontinental trip over the southern route

He was compelled to abandon the flight from San Francisco because his engine would not develope sufficien power at the altitude of that place, a mile above sea level. He reached a point within fourteen miles from the Summit, and in a flight from Colflax was almost over Summit when his engine stopped with him at an altitude of about 9,000 feet while he was bucking a forty mile head wind.

Fowler is certain he can reach the Atlantic coast by the Southern route

A Birthday Party

Miss Alma La Hervey Smith, of Schellville Colony, delightfully entertained her many little friends last Tuesday, October 3rd, in honor of fourth birthday. Games and music were indulged in, after which she escorted her guests to the dining room, where all enjoyed the many dainties so dear to the children's hearts. The tables were prettily decorated in pink and blue.

The following little guests attended, accompanied by their mothers: Misses Doris Malitz, Viola Worthington, Nevada Schell, Lois Dexter Smith, Alma La Hervey Smith, Jean Virginia Smith; Masters Loris McNeeley, Fred Malitz, Harry Worthington, Earnest Haines, Jack Pierce Smith.

Trinity Episcopal Church

Services held in Masonic Temple by Rev. Thomas Parber Boyd. Morning service at 11 a. m. Subject "Three Steps to a Triumphant Life" Vesper service at 5 p. m., subject, "Peter's Shadow." These services are for all people,

St. Francis Church

Mass Sunday at 10:30.
Glen Ellen 8:45 a m.

Base Ball Sunday

There will be a base ball game on the Sonoma diamond next Sunday afternoon at 2:15 p. m. The Sonoma Giants will clash with the speedy P. D. Q Club, of Alameda, and the boys look for a fast game.

The manager of the home team promises a big surprise for the fans.

Miscellaneous Advertisements

Advertisements inserted under this head for 5 cents per line for the first insertion and 3cts per line for each subsequent insertion, payable n advance

For Sale—Spring wagon, complete; two seated. Top, storm curtains, shafts and pole. Bay mare, 8yr. old. Also Singer drop head sewing machine. Geo. H. Strate, Broadway and Napa Road. 26tf

Wanted—Man to do chores. No hard work. Home the year round for the right party. Small wages. R. Fest, El Verano, Cal. 29-1

For Sale—Large six months old white leghorn roosters, $4.50 per dozen. Adolph Chevelier, El Verano.

For Sale—A good second hand oak organ with eight stops and mirror back. Easy payments of $3 per month it desired. Price $50. Sonoma Valley Music Co., 516 4th Street, Santa Rosa. 39 4t

Lost—A diamond stud, while fighting fire in rear of Kinsella's plumbing shop last month. Ten dollars reward will be paid finder. Return to Fulton Dal Paro, Palace Hotel, Sonoma.

Wanted—$1,000 00 on improved eal estate in Sonoma City. First Class security Apply H. P. Mathewson, Attorney. 36 tf.

Wanted—To lease by a responsible party, from three to five years, a place of 5 to 25 acres, with small orchard and suitable for chickens. Address P. O. Box 190, Sonoma. 36 4 tp.

To let—5 room cottage furnished or unfurnished. 3 room cottage furnished $10 per month. Apply O. R. Wagner, Sonoma. 35 tf.

For Sale—Gasoline iron good as new, bargain. Inquire at the Ex positor office.

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Summons

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma.

NELLIE F. HISER, Plaintiff,
VS.

W. P. Ewing, William Ellis, John J. Ellis, Major Hiram Leonard, William B. Atterbury s Frederick Kellar, Nanny L. Lawrence, Horace Bigelow, Samuel T. Moore, Robert Moore, T. H Baines, Administrator with the will annexed of the estate of George Spence, deceased. The Mayor and Common Council of the City of Sonoma, and also all other persons unknown, claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in the complaint adverse to Plaintiff's ownership of any cloud upon Plaintiff's title thereto, Defendants.

Robert A. Poppe and R. E. Rixford, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

This action is brought in the Superior Court in and for the County of Sonoma, State of California, and the complaint in said action is filed in the office of the County Clerk of said County, who is Ex-Officio Clerk of said Court,

The People of the of State of California send greetings to W. P. Ewing, William Ellis, John J. Ellis, Major Hiram Leonard, William B Atterbury, Frederick Kellar, Nanny L Lawrence, Horace Bigelow, Samuel T. Moore Robert Moore, T. H. Baines, administrator With the will annexed of the estate of George Spence, deceased. The Mayor and Common Council of the City of Sonoma, and also all other persons unknown, claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in the complaint adverse to Plaintiff's ownership or any cloud upon the plaintiff's title thereto, Difendants.

The plaintiff above named, has brought an action against you, and each of you, in the Superior Court in and for the County of Sonoma, State of California, entitled as above, and has filed the complaint in said action in the office of the County Clerk of said County, who is ex-officio Clerk of said Court.

And you are, and each of you is, hereby directed to appear and answer the complaint in said action within ten days after the service on you of this summons—if served within said County; and if served elsewhere and without said County, then within thirty days after service of same upon you.

And you are hereby notified that unless you so appear and answer as above required, said Plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the complaint, as arising upon contract, or she will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the complaint.

The real property affected by said action is all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Township of Sonoma, County of Sonoma, State of California, and particularly described as follows to wit:

The Southwestern subdivision of the "Webb Tract," containing 9.47 acres of land, Being Lots, 207, 208, 225 and 226, in the former Pueblo of Sonoma as the same are known, numbered and designated on the official map thereof, now of record in Said County of Sonoma.

Also all of the street on the West side of said tract, also the South half of the street on the North of said tract; also so much of the street on the East of said tract as is now enclosed by fence.

The object of said action is as follows:

1. To oblige the said Defendants to set forth the nature of their claims in and to said lands
2. To obtain a decree of said Court whereby all claims of said Defendants, all and singular in and to said lands, adverse to the said Plaintiff's ownership thereof, shall be determined.
3. To obtain a decree of said Court declaring and adjudging that said Plaintiff is the owner in fee simple of said lands, and that said Defendants, all and singular, have no testate in or to said lands, or any part thereof hereof.
4. To have said Defendants, all and singular by said Codrt, forever enjoined and idebarred from asserting any claim whatever in or to said lands, adverse to said plaintiff.
5. To obtain an award and allowance by said Court to said Plaintiff of her costs in said action and to obtain such other relief as in the premises shall to said Court seem meet.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Superior Court in and for the county of Sonoma, State of California, this 15th day of June, A. D. 1911.

(SEAL)

W. W. FELT, JR. Clerk of said Court.
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Notice of Co-Partnership

State of California. County of Sonoma, ss.

We, the undersigned, do hereby certify that we are partners transacting business in this State, at the City of Sonoma, county of Sonoma State of California, under the firm name and style of Sonoma Realty Co. that the name in full of all the members of such partnership are W. W. Carter and C. L. Newman, and the places of our respective residences are as opposite our respective names hereto subscribed.

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seal this 9th day of August, one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

W. W. CARTER (Seal.)
Residing at Sonoma, California
C. L. NEWMAN (Seal.)
Residing at Sonoma, California.

State of California, County of Sonoma, ss.

On this 9th day of August, in the year one thousand nine hundred and eleven, before me Robert A. Poppe, a Notary Public, in and for the said County of Sonoma, personally appeared W. W. Carter and C. L. Newman, known to me to be the persons described in and whose names are subscribed to the within instrument and duly acknowledge to me that they executed the same.

In witness thereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Official Seal, at my office in the County of Sonoma, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

(SEAL) ROBERT A. POPPE,
Notary Public, in and for the County of Sonoma, State of California.

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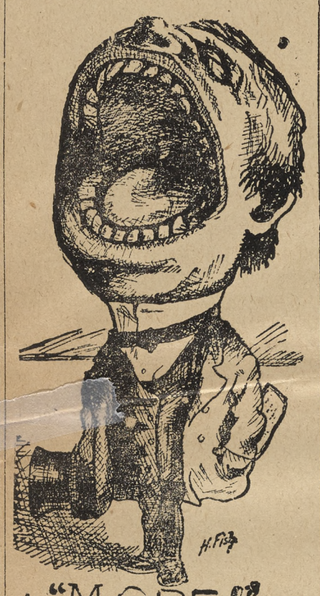

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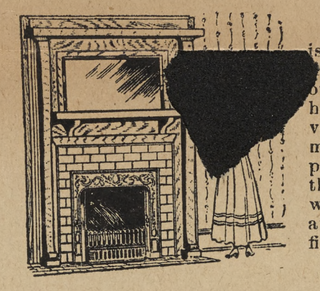

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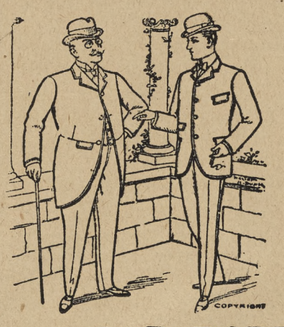

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LOVE FOR PASTIME

By RUTH GRAHAM

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Whether in the main we are retrograding or improving, there is one matter in which men have been steadily growing better. That is in their treatment of women. Half a century ago among young men of the world there was not the high sense of honor in the treatment of women there is now.

In the days of palatial steamboats, as they were called, on the Mississippi Roland Storms, traveling between St. Louis and New Orleans, met on the boat Adele Southwood, a young girl seventeen years old. Storms, who was ten years Miss Southwood's senior, had considered making a "conquest" now and then one of those accomplishments that was to be expected of a young swell of the period. To him love was a game in which all was fair. If beaten at it he would have considered that nothing remained for him but to take the consequences. If he beat the girl it was her part to grin and bear it.

Miss Southwood was not only ignorant of such warfare, but was a girl of deep feeling. She and Storms would sit on the guards during the day looking out upon the ever changing panorama, now passing under some high bluff, now sailing above the surrounding lowlands on a river built up by the levees. In the evening they would go up on to the hurricane deck, watching the lights on the shore go by and, when the boat stopped to "wood up," looking down on the line of deck hands in the glare of pitch pine knots transferring a wood pile to the boat for fuel.

All this was new to Miss Southwood, and what was not only new but much more fascinating to an impressible girl was having a young man in constant attendance, saying pleasant things to her one moment, talking seriously the next and finally laughing at her for being so matter of fact. In this way he kept her in a puzzled state as to whether a mature man was really falling in love with her, a chit of a girl, or whether he considered her merely a child. Storms before reaching the Crescent City talked love to her—such love as pertains to the emotions without any prosaic references to marriage. But she was too unsophisticated to consider this. To her it was spontaneous love, something she had never experienced before and the more serious features of which were still a blank to her.

At New Orleans the two parted. Miss Southwood to remain there for the winter, which was coming on, Mr. Storms going by the gulf of Mexico to Texas. The young girl considered that the event of her life had occurred, the young man that a pleasant episode had occurred to relieve the tedium of steamboat travel. This is what he considered it at the time. He did not know that a seed had been planted in his heart which was not destined to germinate for a long while. He knew that this case was in some respects different from his many other affairs, but he did not consider it any more serious.

It was four years before he met Miss Southwood again. He was walking on the principal street of Cincinnati, swinging a cane, a "beaver" on his head, a velvet collar on his frock coat, a profusion of cravat on his bosom, his tight trousers strapped down over his instep, in short, dressed for a swell of the period, when he met, incased in a diminutive bonnet of pink silk, one of the sweetest faces he had ever beheld. It belonged to a lady about twenty-one years old, and she was looking at him intently. In an instant he recognized the girl he had flirted with on the Mississippi and jilted at New Orleans.

Naturally he was embarrassed. There was no expression in Miss Southwood's face sufficiently defined for him to tell how she felt toward him. He stopped to speak to her, standing uncovered, and asked if he might walk with her. Receiving permission, he joined her, stammering things to her which she, on her part, received with composure. She had been through the agony of getting over a first love and a first jilt, and he could see no traces of suffering, of reproach or of forgiveness. All seemed to be neutralized or, rather, fused into an absolute nothingness.

Storms walked with her some ten minutes, at first trying to regain his equipoise, then to discover some indication of the young lady's feelings toward him. In the latter he failed. But since there was no indication of unfriendliness he made bold to hint that he would like to renew the acquaintance. Before parting Miss Southwood invited him to come to see her the next afternoon at 2 o'clock. He accepted, and they parted.

At the appointed hour Storms, having summoned up all his will power, courage, adroitness to win again and win to keep what he had won and thrown away, went to call on Miss Southwood. He found a number of guests present, and a few minutes after his entrance the lady stood up to be married.

This was Roland Storms' last affair of the heart. He never took any interest in another, for he never recovered from this one. He died a bachelor and an old man.

Since that day, while youth is the same and affairs of the heart are the same, what would have then been considered a feather in a fashionable young man's cap is now held to be dishonorable.

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BRIEFLETTES

We notice in the Postmaster General's report a suggestion that people writing letter should sign their full name and addresses to their letters and there would never be a letter but what could be returned if it failed to reach the person it was intended for. The report suggests a better way than that, too, but one which is a little more expensive. That is to have a small card printed on a corner of the envelope. This will cost only a little and if the letter cannot be delivered to the address or the address should be wrong, the letter would come back in the course of five or seven days, instead of going through the dead letter office, and finally being returned to the writer after two weeks more. The latter suggestion is the best, and can be adopted at a very small expense.

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Timely advice given Mrs. C. Willoughby, of Marengo, Wis., R. No. 1, prevented a dreadful tragedy and saved two lives. Doctors had said her frightful cough was a "consumption" cough and could do little to help her. After many remedies failed, her aunt urged her to take Dr. King's New Discovery. "I have been using it for some time," she wrote "and the awful cough has almost gone. It also saved my little boy when taken with a severe bronchial trouble." This matchless medicine has no equal for throat and lung troubles. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by all dealers.

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The first city in the world to levy a tax upon the domestic cat is Munich Bavaria. This municipality has fixed the tax at five marks ($1.25) per year. The object of this unpopular tax is to reduce the number of cats in that city.

Is the World Growing Better?

Many things go to prove that it is. The way thousands are trying to help others is proof. Among them is Mrs. W. W. Gould, of Pittsfield, N. H. Finding good health by taking Electric Bitters, she now advises other sufferers everywhere to take them. "For years I suffered with stomach and kidney trouble, she writes. Every medicine I used failed till I took Electric Bitters. But this great remedy helped me wonderfully." They'll help any woman. They're the best tonic and finest liver and kidney remedy that's made. Try them. You'll see 50c at all dealers.

President Taft has prohibited in Panama Canal zone all contests between animals or birds of any kind. This puts under the ban cock fights, bull fights, and prize fights are also forbidden. Indeed any one who should act as umpire, or assist at any such exhibition, is subject to fine or imprisonment or both.

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James C. Dahlman "Cowboy" Mayor of Omaha, Throws the Lariat."

Mayor Jas. C. Dahlman started his career as a cowboy, is at present Mayor of Omaha, and has the following record, Sheriff of Dawes Co. Neb. three terms. Mayor of Chadron, two terms; Democratic Nat'l Committeeman, eight years; Mayor of Omaha, six years, and 1910 candidate for Governor of Nebraska. Writing to Foley & Co., Chicago, he says, "I have taken Foley Kidney Pills and they have given me a great deal of relief so I cheerfully recommend them." (sign) JAMES C. DAHLMAN.

Jas. McElney's Model Pharmacy.

Frank Melville, was sentenced to 25 years in San Quentin by Judge Hughes of Sacramento, after he had plead guilty to holding up a saloon. Melville, who is barely out of his teens, has a record of holding up three electric cars, three street car and a number of Saloons at Sacramento and Vallejo.

Foley's Kidney Remedy vs. a Hopeless Case.

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Only a little while before the end of the year 1912 the digging of the Panama Canal will have been completed, according to the latest figures showing the rate of progress on the big ditch. Less than one fourth of the big canal remains to be excavated.

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London still depends upon its army of cats to handle the rats among the ships that come up the Thames. The port of London authories has made known its estimate for cats' milk for the year. The appropriation is $4000.

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The Old Man Reformed.

"I've a sight o' sons—thirteen altogether," remarked a prosperous old farmer, "and all of 'em's done me credit save the three eldest, who sowed wild oats at a pretty rapid rate and then came home and saddled my shoulders with the harvest.

"Well, I own I was glad to see 'em back, and I feasted 'em and petted 'em and set 'em on their legs again, only to see 'em skedaddle off afresh when things had slowed down with all the cash they could lay hands on.

"That thereabouts sickened me, so I called the rest of 'em together and said:

"'There's ten of you left, and if any of you 'ud like to follow t'other three I won't try to stop you. But understand this, though there may be a few more prodigal sons there'll be no more fatted calves. I've killed the last of 'em.'

"And," continued the old man triumphantly, "I've had trouble wi' none of 'em since."

A Hasty Government.

"The postmaster here was removed the other day for incivility to the patrons of the office," said the landlord of the tavern. "You see, Lafe Strodder asked for his mail and none could be found, but the postmaster said he believed there had been a postcard, but what had become of it he'd be blamed if he knew. Lafe is a good deal of a crank and that didn't satisfy him, and they had some words, and the postmaster took a shot at Lafe that tore off half of one of his ears.

"Still, as the postmaster was able to remember just about what had been written on the postal card and told it to Lafe and then didn't shoot off enough of his ear to really affect the hearing it strikes me that the gov'ment was pretty considerable stringent, as you might say, about the matter."—Puck.

A Wise Provision.

Did you ever notice when a man smites his thumb with a hammer while putting down a carpet under his wife's supervision how quickly he thrusts the bruised and throbbing member into his mouth? People think it is because the application is soothing. But the movement is purely involuntarily, like winking. The man cannot help it. The fact is that nature knows that a man is apt to say under such circumstances and so has provided him with an automatic stopper. Whenever he hits his thumb hard enough to hurt—and it doesn't take a very hard blow almost to kill a man when he is doing something he doesn't like to do—by a sort of interlocking system his thumb flies into his mouth, and for the critical moment speech is cut off.

French Humor.

A man who possessed much land and had many younger brothers was asked why he did not go out hunting, as his brothers did.

"Well," said he, "it is because it frequently happens that the guns of younger brothers go off accidentally when pointed at the eldest, but it is seldom that the guns of the eldest behave in a similar manner toward the younger brothers."—French Joke Book.

Her Compliment.

A popular English comedian and music hall singer, asked what his funniest experience was, said: "One time I drove up to the theater in Dublin and was humming a tune when I got out. An old Irishwoman who had failed to get in the theater heard me and said, 'Begorra, if that is how he sings I am glad I didn't go in.'"—London Mail.

A Solemn Ceremony.

"Papa," whispered Johnny, who was in attendance at the Sunday morning services, "why do the people look so sad when they drop their money in that plate?"—Chicago Tribune.

Reading For the Sick.

"And now a word about patients who may feel like reading," said the house physician to the nurse. "When they ask for something to read be sure to give them continued stories—always continued stories."

"Is that wise?" she ventured to remonstrate. "Won't the excitement over what is going to happen in the next number have a bad effect?"

"No. Even if it does it will be counteracted by the encouragement. Sick people have queer fancies. One of the queerest pertains to literature. Feed a patient's mind with nothing but short stories and he will certainly get into his head that he is going to die so soon that it isn't worth while to start him on a long one, and he will droop accordingly. But give him only yarns of the to-be-continued-in-our-next variety and he will take it for granted that you expect him to get well so he can finish the story, and he will perk up amazingly. Just try it."

The nurse did try it and found that the doctor's theory was built on a sure foundation.—New York Times.

Lion Signs In England.

In the middle ages the country houses of the nobility in England when the owners were absent were used as hostels for travelers. The family arms always hung in front of the house and gave it a popular name among travelers, who called a lion "gules" or azure simply "red" or "blue." As these mere intimations of good cheer and entertainment innkeepers adopted the idea. Lions have always been and are now very favorite signs in England—lions white, black, red, brown, golden, yellow—red being the most common. Probably the Red Lion originated with the badge of John of Gaunt, duke of Lancaster, who married the daughter of Don Pedro, king of Leon and Castile, and who adopted the lion rampant gules of Leon to represent his claim to the throne. Under Richard and John lions became the settled arms of England and were generally used by those who could find any claim.

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